

ALL OF the fixtures in the cafeteria were swept by the force of the water into the "exit" end of the large dining room.



receded by Friday after the hurricane had struck on Thursday.

WE WENT TO GULFSHORE

By The Editor

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Senate Okays 'Aid' Bill

ship program. (6) a matching

grant program for acquisition

of certain equipment, and (7)

continuation and expansion of

the college construction

The Senate bill is similar

in most areas to the bill

passed earlier by the House

of Representatives. A ma-

jor difference is in the Senate

provision for teacher prepara-

tion programs. The measure

now goes to conference for a

As passed by the Senate the

college aid bill would amend

the Higher Education Facili-

ties Act of 1963 to increase

the funds authorized for con-

struction of academic facili-

ties. It would also remove the

"category" limitation on con-

struction. The 1963 law re-

quires that facilities con-

structed with federal funds

must be for science, engineer-

compromise version.

program.

Je had to go! We loved Gulfshore,

and Gulfshore was in trouble. Last night

Hurricane Betsy had passed through,

and Gulfshore lay in the path of the

Now it was morning, and the storm had moved on. New Orleans had felt its

mightiest blow, and now the radios and

televisions were telling of Baton Rouge

was concerned about Gulfshore and Kit-

tiwake. How had these beloved assembly

grounds of Mississippi Baptists stood the

storm? The radio and television kept

telling that the Gulf Coast was hit hard,

and that Pass Christian and Bay St.

Louis had borne the brunt of the storm

WASHINGTON (BP) - The

United States Senate passed a

\$4.7 billion college aid bill

which would provide funds to

strengthen colleges and uni-

versities and federal scholar-

ships for needy students. The

measure passed the Senate in

a 79-3 vote. Earlier the House

of Representatives had ap-

The measure generally

would provide for (1) college

and university extension and

continuing education pro-

grams designed to assist in

the solution of community

problems, (2) programs to

improve college and universi-

ty libraries, (3) special as-

sistance for strengthening "de-

veloping" institutions, (4) stu-

dent loan insurance and a pro-

gram of scholarships, (5)

teacher preparation pro-

grams, including a National

Teacher Corps and a fellow-

proved a similar bill.

Everyone at the Baptist Building

and other areas standing stricken.

worst of its wrath.



THE WATER on the campus of Gulfshore Assembly had not completely MANY OF THE interior walls of Driftwood, the guest house, were washed out by the terrific force of the tides accompanying Betsy.

Gulfshore S

VATICAN COUNCIL II—

Roman Churc Faces Problem

(Editor's Note: This is the first of a series of reports by a Baptist reporter at Vatican Council II now in its fourth, and probably final, session in Rome. Mr. Garrett, director of information services for the Baptist Joint Committee on Public Affairs, Washington, D. C., covered the second and third sessions of the Council for Baptist Press and European Baptist Press Service. He is in Rome again this year to give a Baptist-eyeview of what is taking place in the Roman Catholic

By W. Barry Garrett Pessimism stalks Vatican

Council II as it enters the opening days of the fourth session, Sep-

tember 14. Those who had hoped the Council would approved immediate and

extensive re-

Mr. Garrett forms are fearful that the Council will fall far short of their hopes

Health Benefit Plan Extended

DALLAS, Texas - The Southern Baptist Annuity Board has secured permission from Blue Cross-Blue Shield of Texas to extend the enrollment period for the health Benefit Plan to December 1.

Baynard F. Fox, Director of Life and Health Benefits Department of the Annuity Board, said ministers and denominational employees who enroll during this second enrollment period will have protection beginning January 1, 1966, instead of having to wait until next July.

He said the extension was requested when numerous applications were received after the initial closing date of September 1, set by Blue Cross, had passed.

He stated that persons whose applications were received by the first closing date will have coverage as of October 1. He indicated these persons will be notified by mail.

Fox emphasized that any applicant who enrolls during this second period will be assured of coverage being avail-

able after he retires. No Further Extension

However, if a person delays past the December 1 deadline, he will need five years of active participation in order to continue his coverage after retirement.

Fox said there will be no enrollment extension after December 1. Enrollment thereafter will be re-opened semiannually.

He said major medical coverage was the primary factor that created interest in the Health Plan which Blue Cross is underwriting.

"The fact that major medical provides benefits at home and in the doctor's office, as well as in the hospital, has made this Plan very popular. It truly is a 'plan with a plus'," Fox concluded.

and aims. On the other hand, those who are wedded to traditional Catholicism and who opposed the Council from the beginning are fearful that the progressive element in their church has made and will make too many advances.

Many, who hailed the present Pope Paul VI as the torch-bearer for the ideals set loose by Pope John XXIII, are now wondering whether or not he will capitulate to the pressures of the tradition-

The pessimisms are reinforced by the fact that Catholic councils are always a generation behind the times and do not lead out to meet the challenges of new and changing eras. The decrees of a council can be implemented or they can be given mere lip service. Changes can be voted, but when everyone returns home, life can go on unhanged and unaffected.

While the above may be true, another set of factors cannot be ignored. The Cath olic Church is not likely to become what many of us would like to see it be, at least any time soon. But of one thing we can be surethe Catholic Church will never be the same as it was before the Council. What it will become and where it is going may take us a generation or a half-century to find out.

Hans Kung, noted German progressive Catholic theologian, points out six "positive accomplishments" of the Council thus far (Commonweal, Sept. 3, 1965). They

1. A new spirit in the Catholic Church, which, he says, is more important than the formulas and decrees;

2. A more temperate attitude in theology; 3. A new freedom in the

Church for open discussion of all remaining problems; 4. A fundamental liturgical

5. A new era in the relationships to the other Chris-

tian churches; and 6. A new self-understanding on the part of the Catholic

Church. Sees Possible Good End Warning against over-pessi-

mism about the Council, Kungsays that the Council will come to a good end if only the following are achieved: 1. An unequivocal position

on religious freedom; 2. A declaration on the non-

Christian religions and especially the Jews;

Blue Mountain College's

ninety - third annual session

got under way on Thursday

President E. Harold Fisher,

presiding over his first public

assembly, in his present ca-

pacity, gave a welcome as he

pledged his loyalty to the hon-

or, responsibility, and chal-

lenge of serving as president of Blue Mountain College,

pointing all present to the im-

portant fact that our support

is in God, from whom all en-

morning, September 9.

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Yet' At BM College

Several hundred Baptist associational officers, from every section of the state, are expected in Jackson Oct. 26

officers' leadership clinic. Dr. James L. Sullivan, executive secretary - treasurer of the Baptist Sunday School

thusiastic and dedicated direc-

tion of faculty and students

Choosing as his focus of in-

spiration a well-remembered

line from the poetry of Rob-ert Browning, "The Best is Yet To Be," Dr. Chester

Swor gave a quick survey of

the history of Blue Mountain

College, suggested some de-ductions from the past, and

presented some enthusiastic

anticipations for the future of

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be the principal visiting inspirational speaker.

The program will feature simultaneous departmental conferences including Cooperative Missions, evangelism, church music, Brotherhood, Sunday School, Training Union, W.M.U. and Student.

Out-of-state program personalities to appear will include Daryl Heath, Miss Hazel Rogers and Mrs. Ada Rut-School Board, Nashville; Davis Mashburn, Jr. of the Brotherhood Commission, Memphis; Walker L. Knight, of the Home Mission Board, Atlanta and Dr. James

Dan C. Hall, state Baptist

Estimated Damage Over \$250,000

Gulfshore Baptist Assembly was severely damaged by hurricane Betsy which swept over the Gulf Coast last week, according to Rev. Tom Douglas, assemblies manager of the Mississippi Baptist Convention Board, owner of the facility located in Pass Christian. But what about Gulfshore? It stood

Mr. Douglas said that it would take an estimated minimum of \$250,000 to restore the Gulfshore property. Surging tides of sea water everything possible to the sec-

Camp Kittiwake, also located at Pass Christian and owned by the Convention, was not seriously hurt, Mr. Douglas said.

poured into all the buildings.

rely Damaged By Tidal Waves

right on the Gulf, and at a point where a

direct blow of such a hurricane would

pile the water in the Bay of St. Louis

higher and higher, and then roaring

winds and crashing waves would bring

destruction to anything in its path.

We waited anxiously for a call from

Grady Blackwell, superintendent of the

grounds. We knew that Tom Douglas, as-

sembly manager, was out of the state,

and had been grounded in Atlanta, as he

some of the phone lines in Long Beach

still were working. Kittiwake had not

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foreign languages, and for li-

It would further provide a

matching grant program for

colleges and universities for

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Saturday, September 18,

will be clean-up day at Gulf-

shore, according to announce-

ment by Dr. Chester L. Quar-

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED-

Saturday Is Clean-Up

Day At Gulfshore

Finally, the call came. Miraculously

had tried to return.

At Gulfshore the water reached six feet in Gulf Hall, the main administration and dormitory building, the manager's residence, the cafeteria, kitchen, driftwood guest house and other buildings facing the water front.

The auditorium, convention hall and other buildings across the campus were not damaged as severely even though the water there reached a depth of more than four feet.

Many of the interior walls in the buildings were washed out by the force of the tides. While the superstructure of

most of the buildings seemed to remain intact, according to Mr. Douglas, the furniture and fixtures remaining on the ground floors of the buildings was either destroyed or damaged, in some cases seriously.

Mr. Douglas complimented the small maintenance crew, headed by Grady Blackwell, for their efforts in moving

les, Executive Secretary-

Treasurer of the Convention.

all over the area within reach

of Gulfshore, are invited and

urged to come Saturday to

help clean up the debris at

Dr. Quarles stated that Rev.

Harold Bryson, pastor of First

Church, Sumrall, called him

Monday night, offering to

bring a group of men on Sat-

urday to help with the clean-

ing up of the assembly build-

ings and grounds. "This gave

us the idea that others might

be willing to help so we have

set Saturday as clen-up day

and are inviting any and all

persons who can help us to

come. Hundreds of workers could be used", he added.

ment, according to Dr. Quar-

les, is to get the debris and

mud out of the buildings, and

off of the furniture and equip-

ment which has not been de-

stroyed, so that it will not

"The small maintainance

crew at Gulfshore is not able

to do all that must be done

immediately, so the offer of

help suggested a solution,'

Those who come should

bring work clothes, gloves,

shovels (square point), rakes,

brooms, mops, buckets, rub-

ber hose, wheelbarrows, ham-

mers, and other such work

tools as they may have. While

Mr. Blackwell has tools, there

will not be enough for a large

Those coming also should

bring lunches. There is plenty

of water, and Mr. Tom Doug-

las, manager of the assembly,

says there will be coffee and

be further damaged.

Dr. Quarles said.

crew of workmen.

cold drinks.

The urgent need at this mo-

the assembly.

Men from Baptist churches

Hard Hit

ond floors of the buildings in

the brief time available after

the warnings were given that

the hurricane was approach-

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ing Pass Christian.

NEW ORLEANS (BP)-A New Orleans Baptist Seminary official estimated Betsy left behind her \$2 million in damages to the seminary campus after throwing her fury at the city of New Orleans.

The hurricane damage estimate was made by Leonard Holloway, seminary vice-president and director of public relations. Holloway said he and other seminary officials inspected the campus shortly after the hurricane left New

Orleans. At Southern Baptist Hospital, in another part of the city, damage was limited to broken windows, according to T. Sloane Guy Jr., executive secretary of the Southern Baptist Convention's Hospital agency.

First reports from Holloway and Guy indicated no loss of life or serious injury to people at the seminary and hospital.

However, Guy said many hospital employees had been on duty, with brief rest periods, for 72 hours. Those whose homes are in the hardest hit sections of New Orleans had not seen their homes since the hurricane struck and did not know the extent of dam-

Water which flooded areas of New Orleans was reported receding slowly. Full reports on damage were not likely for several days.

Mercer Irwin, executive Baptist Association, said secretary of the New Orleans m'any churches sustained "serious to extensive" damage from wind and water. He anticipated some were totally

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JACKSON WILL HOST ASSOCIATIONAL MEET

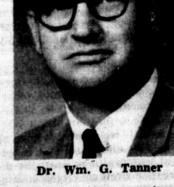
for a statewide associational

Board, Nashville, Tenn., will

Bryant Cummings, state Baptist Sunday School secretary, will preside over the meeting, to be held at Broadmoor Baptist Church from 10 a. m. to 3:30 p.m.

ledge, of the Baptist Sunday Lackey, of the Stewardship Commission, Nashville.

music secretary, will direct music. The noon meal will be prepared for all those present by the host church.



Carey Announced

Dr. William G. Tanner, pastor of the First Church, Gulfport, will be the speaker for William Carey College's opening convocation on Tuesday,

Convocation At

September 21.

Dr. Tanner is a native of Tulsa, Okla., and holds the Bachelor of Arts degree from Baylor University, the Master of Education degree from the University of Houston, the Doctor of Education degree from the University of Houston, the Bachelor of Divinity degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, and is completing his thesis for the doctorate in theology from Southwestern Baptist (Continued on Page 2)

State Receipts Show 3.8% Gain

Mississippi Baptist Cooperative Program receipts for the first 10 months of this convention year, ending Aug. 31, totaled \$2,381,081.99.

Dr. Chester L. Quarles, executive secretary - treasurer, in releasing the figures, said this was an increase of \$87,-512.37 or 3.8% over the amount given during the same period a year ago.

Receipts for August of this year were \$251,989.98, a gain of \$8,595.55 or 3.5% over the amount given in August of

The 1964 - 65 Cooperative Program goal is \$2,998,000, with the convention year to end Oct. 31.

DARGAN-CARVER LIBRARY S. B. C. HISTORICAL COMMISSION NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

Georgia Conducts Hearings

By John J. Hurt Jr. CARTERSVILLE, Ga. (BP) -The Georgia Baptist Convention's first hearing on the issue of federal grants for its colleges drew only 75 people here. Thirteen opposed and three favored such aid in testimony given.

Both the number of persons attending the hour-long session and the number who spoke were a disappointment to some observers. Three other hearings were to be held around the state-at Madison, Statesboro and Cordele.

At Cartersville, 11 ministers declared their opposition to the grants and two favored them. Of layman who spoke, two opposed federal aid and one was for it.

Allen B. Comish of Columbus, Ga., chairman of the Georgia Convention's Education Commission, explained the hearings are "a serious effort to find the thinking of Georgia Baptists concerning federal grants for our schools."

Furman B. Hendrix of Cartersville, a layman, testified first at the hearing here. "If our schools are of God, we ought to support them," he said. "If not, we ought to apologize for them." He argued the convention entered the education field to "Get Christ out to a lost world."

Jerry Holland, Dalton, Ga., preacher, appealed for "improving our educational status" since "education is invaluable to our denomination." He said he feared "Federal grants are interfering with Baptist purposes" and opposing such aid.

An Atlanta pastor, Bryan Robinson, contended the Baptist witness would be "damaged" with grants, and control from the government is "inevitable."

A layman trustee of one Georgia Baptist school called attention to the "crisis" facing the colleges. In his presentation, Claude Poindexter of Atlanta, also said Georgia Baptists may have to concentrate on supporting three colleges rather than six.

Brantley Seymour, Roswell, Ga., minister, was the first to speak without reservation for grants. He said he saw "no conflict" and favored loans along with grants for research and other special causes.

An associational missionary, Herbert Wilson, brought a statement from the Emerson. Ga., Church opposing grants. Wilson voiced personal opposition to grants since it would mean a "sacrifice of Baptist distinctives."

One speaker favored closing some colleges if the convention can't support all of them. He was Dale E. Clark, Taylorsville, Ga., pastor, who said a subsidy to build only science facilities represents a subsidy to the whole.

Favored Grants W. H. Geren, East Point, Ga., pastor, supported his argument in favor of grants by calling attention to his experiences as a Navy Chaplain. He said government and church cooperated there without conflict or compromise.

Another preacher, Troy Acree of Cumming, Ga., was concerned about "Control of Individual Members" which appears on the horizon since tax policies may change gift patterns.

A Columbus, Ga., layman, Albert Hogan, was convinced Baptist people would respond and furnish the money needed by the colleges if their need was promoted. He preferred, he said, to pay his own

Not only would it violate inciple and conscience to take federal grants, but it would also be costly because voluntary support would deline, according to an Atlanta eastor, Hugh Brooks.

A third person believed some schools could close if necessary for the convention to carry on its higher education without tax aid. Denny Spear, Atlanta pastor, called for rejection of grants. He said it was "not beyond my thinking that God might have martyrdom for principles" in store for Baptists.

ip and news is whether you hear it or tell it."



PAST MODERATORS of Hinds County Baptist Association were honored as a unique feature of the annual Leadership Dinner held at Daniel Church Thursday night of last week. The inspirational speaker was Dr. W. Lowrey Compere, president of Clarke College, who served as moderator of the association in 1948, '49 and '50 while pastor of Woodland Hills Church. Rev. Henry J. Bennett, present moderator and pastor of Byram Church (at right) presented each of the past moderators a bronze plaque, expressing appreciation for their services. Dr. J. Clark Hensley, Supt. of Missions, presided over the meeting, attended by over two hundred leaders from 43 churches. From left, (standing): Dr. Hensley, Rev. S. W. Valentine, H. G. Street, Dr. Compere, Rev. A. S. Johnston; (seated): Dr. Russell M. McIntire, T. Cooper Walton and Rev. Fred Tarpley. Past moderators not pictured are Dr. W. Douglas Hudgins of Jackson and Rev. Wm. H. Crouch of Winston-Salem, N. C.

hardest hit sectors had not

Franklin Avenue Baptist

Church, near the seminary,

reported water rose to second

story level. It had to cancel

Sunday services, which were

scheduled only two days after

the hurricane moved through.

On the west side of the Mis-

sissippi River at Westwego, in

Greater New Orleans Metro-

politan area, the auditorium

was a complete loss, Irwin

said. Services on the follow-

ing Sunday were held in the

Appeal Goes Out

among Baptist churches for

clothing to help those dis-

Major damage at New Or-

leans Seminary was to roof-

ing, according to Holloway.

Estimated damage to a

recently renovated women's

dormitory was \$250,000. In

some places, the entire roof

More than 200 trees on the

seminary campus were up-

rooted or broken, Holloway

park for students and their

families received the full blast

of the winds, which topped 100

miles an hour. Some trailers

were a total loss; many oth-

ers were turned over. The

area had been evacuated be-

fore the hurricane arrived,

preventing injury or deaths.

ulty workers were clearing

the campus of debris. Water

was being boiled before drink-

ing because of contamination.

Classes on Friday, a few

hours after the night-time vis-

it of Betsy, were suspended.

to churches served by semi-

nary students was expected

when the students returned to

classes on the Tuesday fol-

lowing. Even under normal

conditions, the seminary has

no Saturday or Monday

Holloway said about 75 per

New emergency power units

at Southern Baptist Hospital

practice runs, Guy reported.

needed when the hurricane

cent of the damage to the

seminary was insured.

pairing utility breaks.

est gales came. Hospital staff

evacuated 300 patients from

rooms on the east side as a

precaution. They were moved

Large lobby windows on the

east side were broken and

some windows in patient

rooms facing east were

Deserve Credit

badges of honor," Guy de-

clared, speaking of the staff

who had been on duty for 72

hours or more with little rest.

and who had not heard of or

seen damage to their own

Towns south of New Or-

ans, toward the Mississippi

River mouth, were feared

wiped out. Reports of death,

injury and property damage was not immediately avail-

ble. Guy and Irwin reported

These people deserve

broken also, he reported.

from outside.

into hallways.

Partial reports of damages

Volunteer student and fac-

He said a campus trailer

was torn off by Betsy.

continued.

placed from their homes.

An appeal went out locally

education building.

been reestablished.

Roman Church ... Seminary . . .

(Continued from page 1) 3. A positive attitude on birth control;

4. A canonical regulation on mixed marriages, relieving the tensions between Catholics and others; and

5. A serious reform in the Curia, which would internationalize and decentralize the legislation and administration of the church.

What can we say to all of

Answer: The Roman Catholic Church has much unfinished business, both during the fourth session of Vatican Council II and in the years to follow. The Council will not settle all of their problems. Not only must Catholics themselves adopt a new approach to their church, but the Protestant and non - Catholic world must also break out of their old thought patterns and traditional approaches.

Non-Catholics must try to understand this significant development in modern church history. It has both direct and indirect bearing on their own witness to the world, their missionary strategy for the future, and their future attitude and relationships to the rest of the Christian world.

Senate Okays . . .

(Continued from page 1) the acquisition of certain equipment. Such a program already exists for public elementary and secondary schools under the National Defense Education Act of 1958, with loans available to private schools.

A four-part teacher preparation program would establish a National Teacher Corps. The National Teacher Corps' would recruit experienced teachers, and college graduates not yet experienced in teaching, for tervice in schools in areas with high concentrations of low-income families.

The teacher preparation program also would provide fellowships leading to a master's degree, to attract recent graduates into the teaching field and to provide advanced training for experienced teachers. In addition, it would provide grants to cover part of the costs of improving graduate and under-graduate teacher training programs in institutions of higher education, and establish a Council on Teacher Preparation.



FATHER - SON COMBINA-TION-Dr. T. R. McKibbens, First Church in Laurel, had the unique distinction of presenting the key to the church to his son, Tom, who served as youth stor during a recent observance of Youth Week in the

TARROLL CAROLS A RESERVE

New BRP Books (Continued from Page 1) destroyed, but communica-Available Oct. 1 tions with churches in the

NASHVILLE - The newest Broadman Readers Plan books, to be released Oct. 1 by Broadman Press, range in theme from managing money to Christmas meditations and

Christian communication. "How to Manage Your Money" by Robert J. Hastings, "God So Loved He Gave" by R. L. Middleton and "Creative Christian Communication" by Gomer R. Lesch are the fourth quarter selec-

Hastings' book concerns family budgeting of the "Nine-Tenths." He has written the book to help Christian families determine their true values of standards and then to help them program available resources to achieve these

"God So Loved, He Gave" has 23 features which focus on Thanksgiving and Christmas themes. Middleton has u s e d stories, poetry and examples of personal testimony to express the real meaning of the Christmas season.

"Creative Christian Combasic aspects of tion (the channel through which proclamation and witness travel) and emphasizes the extra dimensions - prayer and the Holy Spirit - involved in Christian communi-Suggestions are given for

improving the effectiveness of Christian communication and for making use of creativity and imagination in presenting the gospel.

"How to Manage Your Money," "God So Loved, He Gave" and "Creative Christian Communication" will be available at Baptist book stores for \$1.50 each. For information about membership in Broadman readers plan (A year's subscription of 12 books for \$10.50, or three books a quarter for \$3) write: Broadman Readers Plan, Baptist Sunday School Board, 127 Ninth Ave., N., Nashville, Tennessee, 37203.

Miss Roberts To got their first test other than Study In Zurich The emergency power was

Miss Kathleen Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. knocked out electrical supply R. Roberts, of Jackson, sailed Power was restored in less from New York on the 9th for Zurich, Switzerland. Miss than 24 hours, Guy said, since the hospital was a high prior-Roberts will be studying at ity in the slow task of rethe International Opera Center in Zurich this school year There was no flooding at and will be staying at Bapthe hospital. The main hospitist Theological Seminary at tal building faces east, the di-Ruschlikon-Zurich. rection from which the strong-

Miss Roberts finished her Bachelor of Music degree at Mississippi College in 1963 and received her Master's Degree in voice from Texas Christian University in Jahuary of this year. She taught choral music at the Junior High School in Irving, Texas, the second semester of this year and was in the State Fair Musicals at Dallas this summer.

There is definitely a distinction between a Christian living according to New Testament teachings and a "Christian" named so only by culture.-F. Rae Scott, missionary to the Philippines.

hard hit sectors were sealed off to the public, to hurry the rescue and other emergency

Expansion Set For Spain Baptist Work

Baptist missionaries in Spain, in Barcelona for their annual meeting August 9-13. voted full support of national Baptists in a program of ad-

Objectives are to strengthen churches now in existence, double the number of churches and establish Baptist witness in every province of Spain by 1970.

The missionaries planned individual and mission participation in the Simultaneous Evangelistic Crusade to be held in Baptist churches throughout Spain October

The Rev. Charles Whitten of Madrid was reelected chairman of the Southern Baptist Mission, which is the organization of Southern Baptist missionaries.

There are 20 missionaries in the mission, with six others under appointment and due to arrive from the USA in the near future.

Prohibited from using many advertising media, Spanish Baptists are taking advantage of those they can use in publicizing a nationwide simultaneous evangelistic campaign planned for October 10-31.

Small posters are put in homes of Baptists and places where they work. Special invitation cards list the churches and their addresses.

There is a tract on the campaign theme, "Christ said, 'I am the way'." Baptists wear lapel buttons to stimulate questions and make opportunities for witness and invitation to services.

The campaign, in which 51 churches and their many mission stations are cooperating, is being kept constantly before members through a series of letters and monthly

Board Meeting Place Changed

The annual principal business meeting of the State Convention Board, originally scheduled to be held at Gulfshore Assembly Sept. 27-28, will be held instead at First Baptist Church in Jackson. Dr. Chester L. Quarles, ex-

munication," describes the ecutive secretary - treasurer, said that it was made because of the damage done to the assembly by Hurricane Betsy.

The executive committee will meet at 10 a. m. Monday with the full board to meet at 2 p. m. Adjournment has been set for noon Tuesday.

In order to increase the effectiveness of limited advertising, churches have trained a corps of visitors. The plan is for each prospect to be visited at least three timesto establish contact, cultivate interest in the Baptist message and seek to lead to definite Christian experience.

Church members trained in personal evangelism will counsel with new converts at the time of their decision for Christ and serve as sponsors for 11 months.

They will keep the converts in the study of a booklet prepared for new believers, interpreting the significance of discipleship, and seek to lead them to baptism and church membership.

Spanish Baptist pastors will be assisted as preachers in the simultaneous evangelistic meetings by five national pastors and a missionary from Latin America.

Board Approves New Music **Ouarterlies**

RIDGECREST-Three new quarterly music periodicals are scheduled for publication beginning in October 1966 by the Sunday School Board.

They are: 1. "Music for Primaries" for ages 6-8 years. Dr. W. Hines Sims, secretary of the board's Church Music Department, said that at present there is no music publication available for the primary choir member.

"This publication would provide music for the child to use in choir at church and in the home. It would provide music learning experiences for the primary and contain some suggestions for family music activities."

2. "The Children's Music Leader" is to be designed especially for the leaders of beginner, primary, and junior choir groups, as well as those who guide music experiences of these three are groups in all areas of church life.

3. "The Youth Musician" for intermediates (ages 13-16) and young people (ages 17-24) choirs, as well as for the directors of such choirs.

Approval of publication of these periodicals was granted by the Sunday School Board in annual session July 28-29 at Ridgecrest (N. C.) Baptist Assembly.



Perkins Accepts **Greenwood First**

Rev. Clifton Perkins of West Point has accepted a call to be pastor of the First Church of Greenwood. Mr. Perkins will succeed Dr. J. H. Kyzar who retired in April after 18 years as pastor of the Greenwood church.

Mr. Perkins has been pastor of the First Church of West Point for the past thirteen years. In addition to the pastorate in West Point, he has served as pastor of First Church in Booneville and prior to that as pastor of the church at Goodman.

He is a native of Columbus, and he has a wife and two children—a daughter, who is a freshman at Mississippi College and a son who will be in Greenwood High School.

Mr. Perkins is expected to assume his new duties Octo-

He is a graduate of Mississippi State University and Southern Seminary in Louisville. He served as a chaplain in the U.S. Air Force during World War II.

The First Church in West Point has experienced a substantial growth during his ministry.

Mr. Perkins has been active in denominational affairs. He is presently on the board of trustees of the Baptist Children's Village and also is a member of the convention's Long Range Study Committee.

He is a member of the Christian Life Commission of

Swor Sees . . .

(Continued from Page 1) the College in his address for the opening of the ninety-third

Pointing out a striking comparison between the post-Civil War activities of General Robert E. Lee and General M. P. Lowrey, the speaker traced the origin of Blue Mountain graphically. He paid tribute to General M. P. Lowrey, and to those who worked heroically with him, and said, "They saw a need, they had a plan, and they gave themselves with abandon to meeting that need with their plan."

"They saw an urgent need for improving the education of women; and, despite widespread poverty, a lack of a sense of need for educating girls, and limited family resources, General Lowrey and his daughters believed that the need should and could be met."

In the final division of his address, Dr. Swor turned to some anticipations of the future and spoke in glowing terms of the potential of Blue Mountain College in the years ahead.

"A great past demands an even greater future," Dr. Swor said. Referring to Browning's "The Best Is Yet To Be," he pointed out that the poet said that it is "The last of life, for which the first was made." "This, applied to Blue Mountain College," he said. "Means that the great strength of the first ninety-two years of the life of the College demands an even finer future."

Convocation . . .

(Continued from Page 1) Theological Seminary. Dr. Tanner came to First

Church, Gulfport, as pastor in 1964, having served as pastor previously at Broadway Church, Houston; Field Street Church, Cleburne, Texas; West End Church, Houston; and First Church of Wheelock,

"We are indeed honored that Dr. Tanner, so recently a distinguished newcomer to Baptist circles in our state, has consented to be our con-vocation speaker," said Dr. J. Ralph Noonkester.

New Orleans Women's Auxiliary To Meet At Seminary Sept. 30

NEW ORLEANS - The ley Windsor, will be intro-Women's Auxiliary to New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary will hold its semiannual program meeting September 30 in the Recital Hall of Sellers Music Building on the Seminary campus.

More than 300 women from Louisiana and Mississippi are expected to attend, according to Auxiliary president Mrs. Charles Brown. "We cordially invite all women who want to have a direct part in theological education to join us at the meeting," said Mrs. Brown.

A special music program has been planned by Dean William L. Hooper of the School of Church Music. The Auxiliary's yearly projects will be discussed, and the first Auxiliary Scholarship winner, Mrs. Jerry Mae Tal'duced. Mrs. Windsor is to receive \$600 from the organization to work toward the Mastor of Religious Education degree this year. 1'The scholarship is fi-

nanced by Auxiliary membership dues, and our hope is to have 500 members by the end of this year so that we may continue and expand our program," said Mrs. Roland Q. Leavell, director of the women's division of the Board of Development. Organized in 1964, the

Auxiliary is an organization for women to express interest and to be informed participants in training spiritual leaders for the world. More than 300 women throughout the Southern Baptist Convention and in several foreign countries are now members.



SEVERAL LEADERS at stewardship conference held Spet. 2-3 at Camp Garaywa discuss plans with Fred Williams, associate in Stewardship Commission, Nashville. From left: Mr. Williams; Rev. John Alexander, Jackson, secretary of stewardship; Dr. Earl Kelly, Holly Springs, president of the State Convention and Rev. James Terpo, superintendent of missions of Panola

Miss Dann Stampley, missionary on furlough from Ghana, may now be addressed at Bentonia, Miss. A native of Bentonia, she was elementary director at First Baptist Church, Jackson, Miss., when appointed by the

Gulfshore - -

(Continued from page 1)

Quarles Makes Statement Dr. Chester L. Quarles, the board's executive secretary, was out of the state at the time but was reached by telephone and made the following statement:

"Assembly programs are deeply imbedded in the hearts of Mississippi Baptists. We can never think of carrying on our work without them. Gulfshore Baptist Assembly will live."

Rev. N. F. Greer, of Quitman, chairman of the assembly committee of the board, said that the committee would meet soon to consider plans to be submitted to the Convention Board for restoration of the assembly at the earliest possible date.

The matter of restoration of the property will be given priority on the agenda of the regular meeting of the Convention Board Sept. 27-28, according to Dr. T. R. McKibbens, Laurel, the board's president.

Dr. W. Douglas Hudgins, Jackson, chairman of the executive committee of the board, in discussing the loss, said that it is to be hoped that Mississippi Baptists will be able quickly to restore the facility. He said that the executive committee would meet soon and will work in full cooperation with the assembly committee.

The assembly property was covered with all insurance available but the amount to be realized from this source can not yet be determined, it was announced by A. L. Nelson, the board's business manager. -

By press time Tuesday there had been no reports received of any serious damage to Baptist churches on the Gulf Coast. Communication with some parts of Hancock County has been limited, However, leaving the possibility of some damage there.

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Foreign Mission Board in

Mrs. Ben A. Chappel has been named as instructor in the speech and drama department at Carey College. Mrs. Chappell is a graduate of North Texas State University in Denton, with a major in speech. Mrs. Chappel is married to Dr. Ben Chappell, Chairman of the Division of Communications at the University of Southern Mississppi.

Mrs. May Bourdon has been named dormitory hostess for Johnson Hall, Carey's freshman women's dormitory. Mrs. Bourdon has served as dietitian and caterer for Baylor University, as head of dormitory and dining facilities at California Baptist College, as adviser to women students at Grand Canyon College in Phoenix, Ariz., as director of student center and all social affairs at Tulane University, and as house mother and teacher of arts and crafts at Gulf Coast Military Academy. During this past summer she has served as social director and catering manager at the Markham Hotel in Gulfport.

Mrs. Pomeroy Huff and Mrs. Ruth Walley have accepted positions as dormitory hostesses for William Carey's Ross Hall and Bass Hall. Mrs. Huff, a native of Louisiana, is moving to Carey from a position as house director at University of Mississippi. Mrs. Walley, of Richton, served for the past three years as house mother for the School of Nursing at the University of Mississippi.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert L. Lambright, missionaries to Indonesia, have arrived in the States for furlough. They may be addressed at 1228 E. Parkway, S., Memphis 14, Tenn. The son of a Baptist minister, he was born in Louisville, Ky., and lived in Louisiana and Mississippi while growing up; she, the former Ann Patrick, was born in Booneville, Miss., and grew up in Corinth, Miss.

We Went To - -

"(Continued from Page 1) been seriously hurt, but it was not yet possible to reach Gulfshore. The waters still were too high, and the storm too severe.

It was then that decisions was reached. Art Nelson, Joe Abrams and your editor decided to go. Dr. Quarles was in some conferences in another state. None of us were anxious to make the long trip in the stormy weather, but we felt that Mississippi Baptists must have the facts as early as possible. So we climbed into Mr. Nelson's car and headed south. Rain was heavy, and wind gusts severe, but we kept going.

The radio continued to report the damage on the coast. and tell how terrible everything was in New Orleans. . . their worst storm in history. Pass Christian was severely damaged. Concern mounted in our hearts.

First Report

At Hattiesburg we called Mr. Blackwell again. Yes, he had reached the assembly grounds. "It is bad, very bad," he said. But even that did not prepare us for what we were to see. We could not picture Gulfshore in a state of devastation. Only a few weeks before we had been there, to walk on its grounds, to worship in its auditorium, to rest in its rooms, and to walk on the shores of the beaches. watching the beautiful waters as they kissed the sand.

On we drove, sometimes talking, sometimes quiet. The traffic grew heavier as many of those who had left the coast, now were returning to see what Betsy had done to their homes, their businesses and their town.

Mr. Blackwell had told us, as had the radio, that the beach road, beautiful US 90, was closed, and that we would have to come down the old "Pass Road" almost to Gulfshore.

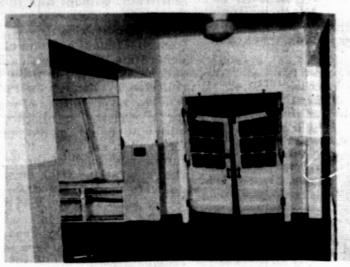
This road was crowded with traffic, but there were no signs of extensive wind damage, although there were some broken limbs, damaged power and telephone lines,

and some signs blown down. At every road to the beach there were national guardsmen, and only those with property on the beach were

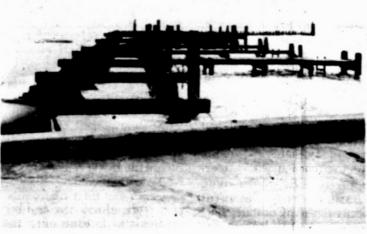
Beach Highway We passed through business



ONE OF the classroom buildings is seen through an arch in



THE DOORS in the lounge in Gulf Hall that lead into the hall-way were barely left hanging.



THE PIER adjacent to Gulf Hall was ripped from its moorings.



THE FAMILIAR registration office could hardly be recognized in this photo.

areas of Long Beach and Pass Christian, and finally reached the street Mr. Blackwell had indicated would be open to the beach. A guardsman allowed us to go through when he learned that we were property owners in the area. (We were representing you.)

At the heach we found debris spread over the highways, but with enough of it cleared away, for cars to get through most of the way. Once there was a detour to the south lane of the four lane road.

We saw people dragging furniture out of their storm soaked houses. We saw the boarded windows, which had failed to keep out all the fury of the storm. Sand was on some sections of the highway.

Then we rounded the curve and were at the entrance street to Gulfshore. The lighthouse was still standing, and the sign. They had weathered the storm.

We passed the Beach Boulevard Church and the pastor's home. We were told that some water had flooded Brother Foy's home. We could not tell about the church. Gulfshore

We parked on the street outside the grounds. The gate had been blocked by debris and was closed, but we could see Mr. Blackwell waiting for

As we were entering Mrs. Kaletsch, secretary and bookkeeper for Gulfshore, and her husband were coming out. She was weeping. "It's awful," she whispered.

Then it stood before us. As we looked across the grounds, the buildings from the manager's residence to the Children's Building were sitting in the middle of a lake.

Beyond the buildings we could see the gulf, back within her bounds, and although still showing some whitecaps, comparatively calm. There was little evidence that a great storm had passed only a few hours before.

Still we were not prepared for what we were to see. There were few signs of serious damage, as one looked from the entrance.

Wading In

There was only one way to reach the ouildings, Mr. Blackwell told us, and that was to pull off our shoes, roll up our trousers and wade. We did just that. We saw on our left that a section of the steel chain link fence was on the ground, loaded down with de-

The first building we reached was the manager's home. There was no damage on the upper floor where his apartment is, for even the terrific winds did not break out the windows or doors. But where the waves hit, it was different. Things had to be very strong to withstand those mighty hammering blows.

Water Damage It was evident in this building. Water had been several feet deep here, and the wall of the ground floor apartment was partly torn out. Inside we could see the damaged furniture, the muddy floors, and the damaged partitions.

We moved on. Our next sight was the residence apartment of the Garcia family. This Cuban refugee family lives at Gulfshore, and Mr. Garcia helps care for the grounds.

Mr. Garcia was with us, and we watched him as, barefoot, he waded through the water and entered what only yesterday had been his home. Now the doors were out, the windows gone, and inside we could see the ruined remains of what had been fur-

When this family fled Cuba, they lost everything, and now their meager possessions were gone again. I wondered about the thoughts rushing through his mind now. In my own heart I knew that Mississippi Baptists would care for



THE WINDOWS in the entrance end of the cafeteria were out, as were most ground floor windows on the water-front side of several of the buildings.



THE MANAGER'S residence appears at left with Driftwood at right.



THE attractive manager's office took on this look after Betsy



DRIFTWOOD, the guest house, one of the buildings facing the water front, was one of hardest hit of those on the campus.

their needs.

Driftwood

We waded, or sometimes walked on the grass, on past the buildings. There was Driftwood, the hospital during navy days, but now used largely for faculty and guests during the assembly periods.

Many of the windows on the beach side were broken out. Some of the doors were missing. Air conditioners were lying outside in the water. Through the openings, we could see walls partially torn out so that one literally could look through the building from one end to the other. The furniture is metal, so it had not been moved out. Now it was flat on the floor, muddy, sometimes bent or crushed, so great had been the wrath of the crashing waters. I looked at the ruin of a room where we ourselves had spent a happy week so recently.

We sloshed on. The classroom building showed that it, too, had borne the brunt of the storm. Lately, we saw two of the pianos from this building lying down by the dining room, several hundred feet away.

The Gulf

We entered one of the lounges in the Gulf hotel building, largest building on the grounds. The door facings literally had been torn out and were gone. Furniture was broken and soggy. Doors into the hall were partially torn down. The air conditioner lay on the floor.

We waded on to the breezeway at the center of the Gulf building. Looking out toward the great pier, where we often had watched the moonlight on the water, or sat with friends just to relax or talk, and where great inspirational services often had been held, we saw that it was gone. Only bare posts remained, with waves now breaking about them. The fishing pier, too, was missing.

Offices and Rooms As we entered into the

breezeway, we looked through the windows where guests come to register. The windows were gone. The telephone exchange was lying broken and water-soaked on the floor. Office desks and shelving lay crushed.

Similar conditions were found in the other offices. Confusion and ruin everywhere, especially on beach side of building. Through sagging doors we looked down the halls. It was impossible to enter because of broken glass and debris. But it was evident that the churning waters, which had reached a depth of six feet in this building, had done their worst. The wisdom of metal furniture was clearly evident, but even this showed the fury of the angry waters. The small maintenance crew, under Mr. Blackwell's direction, had carried many things to the second floor, but the short period of warning, and the inability to secure help, made it impossible to get everything up. That which remained, especially on the beach side, took a severe beating.

Cafeteria

Leaving the Gulf building, we waded on to the dining room. There some windows were torn out. The tables, chairs, and even the cafeteria steel serving lines, which had been bolted to the floor, now lay in a heap at one end of the building. Many of the tables and chairs appeared to be missing, perhaps washed away. In the kitchen a stove and a freezer full of food had turned over, and smaller equipment was scattered in

strange array. The picture was the same everywhere. We could not reach the bookstore, the hospital, the smaller classroom building or the children's building. They still were standing in water.

Hospital Group **Honors Pryor**

THE BAPTIST RECORD 3 Thursday, September 16, 1965

Paul J. Bryor, Administrator of the Mississippi Baptist Hospital, has been named to Fellowship status in the American College of Hospital Administrators.

The announcement was made by ACHA President Ronald D. Yaw who presided at the ceremony recently Sunday in San Francisco.

The ACHA is a professional: society of men and women, whose life's work is in the: field of hospital administration. The membership comprises 6,400 administrators. assistant administrators, and administrative assistants of hospitals in the United States and Canada.

Mr. Pryor is active in local, state, and national hospital organizations. He has just retired as president of the Mississippi Hospital Association and is president-elect of the Baptist Hospital Association which is comprised of all the Southern Baptist hospitals in the country.

Auditorium

Returning the way we had: come, we then waded more water to reach the auditorium. There the tide had reached a depth of about four feet, but evidently had not swirled, for chairs and furnishings were in their place. The grand piano had been covered with water. The organ had been set on the stage, but about two feet of water had reached it. No one could know how much it was damaged. The floor was muddy. Here and there were soggy Bibles and song books.

The swimming pool had been filled with the sea water. The gymnasium had stood the storm very well, since there was little in it except chairs and tables on the stage, and these had not been reached.

We returned to the gatehouse, ready to leave. There was little we could say. We had seen damage beyond anything we could have conceived. It was hard to believe that one storm could do so much damage in so brief a time.

Gulfshore Will Live Yet in our hearts we knew that a storm could not kill Gulfshore. She was alive in the hearts of too many thous ands of people. Damage there was, but the super-structure of the splendid buildings evidently had not been hurt.

Much clean - up must be done. Walls must be rebuilt? There must be painting and re-equipping. Motors and mechanical equipment must be repaired. Many new furnishings must be purchased.

All of this will be done, for Mississippi Baptists want Gulfshore to live. Too great is its ministry. Baptists will give from their love and devotion to this work.

Gulfshore will be ready for use next summer and the many summers ahead. Cleanup will start immediately. Those responsible for the leadership of this work in our convention already are starting plans for repair and restoration of the property. Soon such plans will be announced. Mississippi Baptists will be given opportunity to help.

As we drove back to Jackson, ready to tell the story to Mississippi Baptists, we knew in our hearts that Gulfshore will rise from the flood waters of Betsy to be a greater facility than ever before.

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Gulfshore Will Be Restored

Gulfshore Assembly at Pass Christian suffered severe damage in the wake of the might waves slammed at her by Hurricane Betsy.

Unofficial preliminary estimates indicate that the loss may reach as high as a quarter of a million dol-

lars. However, Gulfshore will be restored. Mississippi Baptists believe in Gulfshore, and recognize its tremendous ministry as a part of the convention's work. They know what it already has meant to the denomination, and the potential for the future is even greater.

Already the Assembly Committee is laying plans for early action, and other leaders are rallying to the While the loss is large, the resources of God, and

of Mississippi Baptists, are even greater. Mississippi Baptists can and will, under the direction of God, provide the money needed to repair and

restore the facility. While plans are still in the making, let each Baptist in the state, declare in his own heart, "Gulfshore

must live, and I will help it live.' We are sure that it will be only a short time until every one of us will have opportunity to give that help.

The Ecumenical Council

The Roman Catholic Vatican Council II this week begins what is scheduled to be its final session. The agenda for the months ahead is laden with significant controversial issues.

The Christian world watches this council with interest. Some of those who are promoting ecumenicalism believe that its actions will aid their cause. Others feel that it is going to prove the old adage that "Rome never changes", especially in its basic teachings and

Baptists are sitting on the sideline watching. They have no official "observers" at the meeting, although some Baptist news reporters will be there to try to interpret to the world what is happening.

Among the issues to be considered in this session will be Religious Liberty, The Church in the Modern

World, The Attitude of the Church Toward Non-Christian Religions, Divine Revelation, and several other matters related strictly to the program and practice of the Roman church.

THE

EDITORIAL

Evangelicals are especially interested in the debate on religious liberty. This probably will more clearly reveal the direction in which the Roman Catholic Church is moving, than anything else that will be done. Catholic liberals sought for action on this last year, but the conservative group, aided by the pope,

It should be remembered, however, that nothing has been done in the previous sessions of this council to change the basic teachings of Roman Catholicism. The doctrines on church authority, salvation, the pope, Mary, etc., have not been changed, and it is our prediction that they will not change.

Rome's ecumenical position is very clear. It has invited the "separated brethren" to return to Rome. Some modern groups may be willing to do that. Most of us politely but firmly must say, "No, thank you! We prefer to stay with the New Testament."

The Baptist Record will seek to keep you informed concerning the actions of the council. Since Dr. Barry Garrett of the Baptist Joint Committee, and Mr. Gainer Bryan of the Maryland Baptist, will be in Rome as reporters, we shall have interpretive reports from a Baptist point of view. Moreover, we shall have access to full reports from Religious News Service and other news services. We shall use such material as we feel is necessary or worthy of use. Mr. Garret's first report is included in this issue.

September Is Foundation Month

Throughout the Southern Baptist Convention, September is designated as Foundation Month. There is now a Foundation in virtually every state and there is at the present time over one hundred million dollars being administered by these Foundations for the perpetual support of Baptist institutions and causes.

Our Mississippi Baptist/Foundation now has over two and one-half million dollars in all funds being administered, and for the year which closed June 30th, 1965, had an income of \$129,500.

The Foundation is a Service Agency serving all our institutions and causes, and stands ready to assist all Mississippi Baptists in investments in kingdom work.

It is just as easy to be trapped by trivia on the overseas post as it is on the home base. Crossing the ocean does not change human weakness .- J. Conrad Willmon, missionary to Lebanon.

WORLD AFLAME by Billy

Graham (Doubleday, 267 pp.,

This is the world famed

evangelist's finest book, and

deserves the widest possible

reading. Dr. Graham begins

with a look at the present

world. He pulls no punches

as he describes the moral,

social, political and religious

crisis which threatens to de-

deep he reveals that the

trouble is in man. . .man's

sinful nature. After describ-

ing man's fruitless search

for human answers to world

problems, the author shows

that God has provided the

only possible answer. God's

revelation of Himself to man

is described, and then His

fullest revelation in Christ is

presented. The cross, the res-

urrection, and redemption in

Christ as Saviour are clearly

shown. The wonderful re-

demption of the sinner, and

the possibilities of the new

man in Christ are vividly de-

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of man without God, the Sec-

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Judgement, and ultimate tri-

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all are vividly depicted. This

book will alarm and amaze;

it will stir and challenge; it

will answer and satisfy. It is

God's message for a world

A HISTORY OF SOUTH

CAROLINA BAPTISTS by Joe

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The thrilling and challeng-

ing story of the beginnings of

Baptist work in the South,

with the growth which not

only built a great Baptist em-

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soon after that settlement was

permanently settled in 1670,

through the coming of Wil-

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tists who had been driven out

of Maine by persecution there

about 1683. The slow but

steady Baptist growth is care-

fully depicted, with new

churches being established as

the colony grew in the early

18th century. The difficult

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The Word Of God

The Bible IS the Word of God. The vast majority of Baptists and almost all other evangelicals believe

They reject the liberal position that the Bible "contains" the Word of God, or that God merely speaks to man "through" some parts of the Bible.

The Southern Baptist position was clearly stated in the Statement of Faith adopted by the convention in 1963. Concerning the scriptures that statement be-

"The Holy Bible was written by men divinely inspired and is the record of God's revelation of Himself to man. It is a perfect treasure of divine instruction. It has God for its author, salvation for its end, and truth, without any mixture of error, for its matter . . .'

A new book by Dr. W. A. Criswell, pastor of First Church, Dallas, and one of the great preachers of this generation, discusses this Baptist position clearly and succinctly. It is The Bible for Today's World recently released by Zondervan Publishing House.

The book consists of a series of sermons, preached by Dr. Criswell in his own pulpit, and reveals his unswerving belief in the infallibility of the Bible. Dr. Criswell is an outstanding scholar himself, and is fully familiar with all of the arguments of those who deny the inspiration of the scriptures. In these chapters he answers those arguments, yet this is not a book merely for scholars, but also for the average Christian.

Dr. Criswell deals with the historical, scientific, prophetic and other areas of accuracy of the Bible. He shows the mistakes of the critics, and why they cannot destroy the Word. Two chapters discuss how God has preserved the Bible, and kept it as His revelation for men in this modern hour.

This-book should have a wide reading. It will be splendid to put in the hands of young people, and others, who have been disturbed by those who would cast doubts on the Bible. Christians of all ages should read it, to help strengthen convictions. Preachers should read it, and then stand in their pulpits to make its message known.

The Bible is the foundation of the Baptist faith and message.

Let us make clear to the whole world our position concerning that. Books such as this will help us do it.

The man who bows the lowest in the presence of God stands the straightest in the presence of sin.

"We climb the ladder toward perfection as we descend the ladder of self-exaltation."

Newest In Books

Praying Hands

In his book, No Common Task, George Reindrop describes the prayer habits of a nurse. Accustomed to working with her hands, she degers that disciplined her to pray regularly. Her plan was very simple. Here is how it worked.

Each finger stood for someone. Her thumb being nearest to her body, it reminded her to pray for those near and dear such as relatives and close friends. The second, or pointer, finger was a symbol of those who supervise and direct, and suggested that she pray for those who were her superiors. The third finger, the tallest, stood for those in high positions of leadership or government. When she looked at her fourth finger, the weakest, she remembered to pray for those who suffer from ill-Eness, disappointment, or

grief. The little finger-smallest of all-she took to represent herself. Thus with meekness and humility, she expressed her own needs last of all.

We are not saying that prayer should be a routine counting of one's fingers. But we are saying that even the simplest objects of life can remind us that God is as close as breathing, and that he is anxious for us to talk with him as we go about the ordinary affairs of life.

Indiana Proposes Mission Fund Hike

INDIANAPOLIS (BP)-Indiana Southern Baptists will increase their Cooperative Program goal by about 25 per cent next year, if they approve a proposal of their convention's executive board here.

The board recommends a 1966 Cooperative Program budget of \$250,000. The curent Cooperative Program adget is \$196,000. Receipts to the 1965 budget have been unning about \$1,000 a month over budget needs, when proted into monthly amounts, . Harmon Moore, executive secretary here, an-

The state convention of sts in Indiana will have total budget of \$419,126 for ming year, compared 123,897 this year. The udget includes the Coerative Program goal and income from other sources.



Powerful Hoist

The Baptist Forum

A Correction Dear Dr. Odle:

On page 6, September 2, 1965, issue, column six, the statement concerning Morrison Heights Baptist Church, Clinton, should read:

"On January 5, 1958, a BAPTIST MISSION was established in Clinton under the sponsorship of the Clinton Baptist Church and Hinds County Association and several other churches.

"And the MISSION was constituted into a Baptist Church June 15, 1958 with 126 charter members and called Morrison Heights Baptist Church."

J. L. Boyd Clinton, Miss.

The Dollar First?

Dear Sir:

the editorial Reference page dated August 19, 1965, nobody can discuss favorably the Federal money. IT IS EVIL MONEY! The President of the United States, the Supreme Court Judges and the Rubber Stamp Congress want everything under Federal control. The three branches of government is one. The Constitution of the United States is a hoax like

it is now. Less than 200 years ago, some good folks died from the freedom to worship.

If the Southern Baptists asked for any kind of Federal aid, they are asking for a

dictatorship. The only thing left free in the United States is the church. The trustees of William Carey College pledged student loan. A lot of churches, tithes, and pledges dropped off. I hope no more institutions want any Federal If the Christians would pray

diligently about this problem, the Lord will help us.

It looks like now the dollar bill is first in every phase of

> Sincerely yours, E. J. Grisham Jackson, Miss.

Applauds Story Dear Dr. Odle:

I applaud the thoughtful. factual article by Mr. Owen Cooper entitled, "The Hospital Issue" which was published in the September 2, 1965, issue of the Baptist Rec-

As an interested physician, it is my hope that the Baptists of our state will be given the vision to take necessary steps to assure the continuation of leadership and service supplied by our Mississippi Baptist Hospital in the field of medicine in Mississippi.

stitution's facilities in quality and quantity are essential if its past record is to be maintained and expanded.

Dynamic growth of the in-

George D. Purvis, M.D. Central Orthopaedic

Jackson, Miss.

Christian education has in Baptist advance is shown. only built Baptist work in their own state, but were key leaders in the founding of the Southern Baptist Convention. The part that the state played in the Baptist beginnings in Mississippi and other Southern states is told. An historical table shows the beginning and present condition of all the churches and associations. The book is well indexed, and will prove invaluable, both for reading and for reference.

THE RIGHT ANGLES by Babette Hall, with introduction by Edward L. Bernays (Ives Washburn, Inc., New York, 160 pp., \$3.95).

Here is a very practical new book that goes quite thoroughly into the subject of "How to Do Successful Publicity." It can well serve as a guide to the professional, as well as to the amateur, in finding "the right angle" and avoiding the wrong angle in publicity campaigns. The author has had wide experience in the field, in her position with Benn Hall Associates (which firm did a marvelously successful publicity job on the book, Kon Tiki.) Mrs. Hall points out examples of successful campaigns. She defines "publicity," lists the tools of publicity, and includes a chapter dealing with pub-

licity as a career. In other chapters she writes about The reader follows the lives news releases, print media, of Baptist giants, who not radio and television, placing stories, arranging interviews. mail-order advertising, finding clients, and reaching special groups. Not only is this book practical. It is also highly entertaining reading.

> WORDS OF WELCOME by Amy Bolding (Baker, 112 pp. paperback, \$1.50).

This is a book to use when called on to introduce a speaker or special guest. There are other helps for speakers, giving responses, appreciation speeches, farewell speeches, making announcements, etc.

THE CHRISTIAN MEAN-ING OF MONEY by Otto A. Piper (Prentice-Hall, 116 pp., paperback, \$1.50).

What do modern financial activities look like in the light of the Bible? The author gives his answer to this question.

A HISTORY OF CHRIS-TIAN MISSIONS by Stephen Neill (Wm. B. Eerdmans, 622 pp., \$7.50).

This volume represents the heroic first attempt in English to provide in one book a history of the worldwide expansion of all so-called "Christian" denominations-Roman Catholic, Orthodox, Anglican, and Protestant.

TEACH TITHING AT HOME

By Ellis M. Bush

"Now that you are making your own money, you must be sure to remember that the tithe is the Lord's. That means that the first ten cents of every dollar should be given to the church to help carry on the Lord's work."

These may not have been my mother's exact words, but they are not far from it. I not only remember what she said, I remember the occasion when she said it.

My father was a preacher. My mother was and still is a godly mother. During most of my boyhood our family lived within a block of the church building, usually right next door One of my first jobs for pay was to mow the church lawn.

Later I was promoted to be caretaker of buildings and grounds. When I received my first check from the church for mowing the lawn, I showed it first to my mother. No sooner had she finished expressing her joy with me over the fact that I was now earning my own money, then she started helping me to know that it really wasn't mine after all. It belonged to God just as I did.

My parents tithed. They taught me to tithe. Tithing as a specific tangible action, practiced from childhood, helped me to know as much as anything I ever did that God had a claim on my life and that his claim was first. I learned it at home. I believe it now.

Teach tithing at home.

Ellis M. Bush is Sunday School Secretary, Alabama Baptist Convention, Montgomery, Alabama.



More than 12 per cent of this country's people are limited in their activities because of chronic disease or impairment, a United States Public Health Service report has revealed. Heart condition and arthritis and rheumatism lead the various causes that keep 22.2 million from working. As might be expected, the ability to get around and work or play decreased with age. Only about two out of each 100 persons under the age of 17 were limited, but about 49 out of each 100 persons aged 65 and over reported some degree of activity handicap.

Baptists used their new opportunity in Medellin, Colombia, to distribute 28,000 Bible portions at the city's book fair-Scriptures they had because Cooperative Program money provided them.

Southern Baptists need to prepare young people for the diplomatic service so that they may represent in a dignified way your country to the world. Many of the world think bad of you because your representatives are bad. Many hate you in other countries because those that represent you do not represent the truth. And this is a challenge to Southern Baptists.-Jose Missena, pastor in Asuncion, Paraguay

Verbalization of the gospel is not enough. We must make the gospel incarnate. Even God could not find a better way .- Hugo H. Culpepper, director of the division of Missions, Southern Baptist Home Mission Board.

Seeing the joy of a new Christian celebrating the Lord's birth meaningfully for the first time is one of the great indescribable blessings of mission service.-Mary Cannon, missionary to Japan.

Calendar of Prayer (This list is not compiled ccording to birthdays.)

September 20-Mrs. Ben Chappell, faculty, Carey College; Mrs. May Bourdon, staff, Carey College.

September 21-Mrs. Alpha Humble, faculty, Gilfoy School of Nursing; Charles H. Shuffield, administrative assistant, Baptist Hospital.

September 22-Mrs. Victor Vaughn, Clarke College faculty; W. G. Sanders, Bolivar associational Brotherhood president.

September 23-Ann Burnside, Baptist Book Store; Tennie Glee Jones, staff, Children's Village.

September 24-Marjean Patterson, Baptist Building; G. G. Pierce, Baptist Building; Mrs. Sandra Brannon, Baptist headquarters.

September 25-Mrs. Alvin Reeves, WMU president, District III; Harold B. Harris, Jr., Baptist student director, East Mississippi Junior College.

September 26-R. A. McLemore, president, Mississippi College; Milton Williams, Pontotoc associational superintendent of missions; Mrs. E. A. Conner, Blue Mountain College faculty.

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REV. CHEE WU, pastor of the Chinese Baptist Church in Cleveland, has just returned from Prescott, Ariz., where he was on program for a Chinese retreat attended by 92 young people, including 10, from Mississippi. He is seen with Mrs. Wu, their daughter, Madeline, and Dr. Foy Rogers, secretary of Cooperative Missions (at right).

207 Decisions Recorded In Greater Jackson Youth Crusade

The following is a compilation of decisions recorded during the Greater Jackson Youth Crusade, August 22-27, 1965, held in the Coliseum, in Jackson:

16 professions of faith

138 rededications

commitment to specific vocational Christian work 27 commitment to Christian service

207 total recorded decisions

Four states and twenty-seven cities were represented in

Decisions were made by people representing: No. of Decisions From Churches Churches Salvation Army 46 Methodist churches Nazarene churches 110 Baptist churches 37 Presbyterian churches Christian church Church of God Episcopal churches Bible church 82 total churches There were 200 counselors working with those who made

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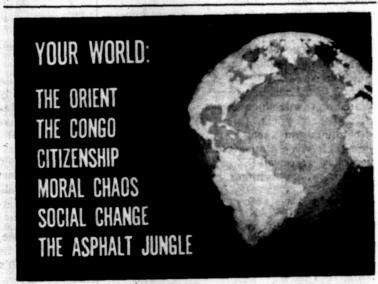
All of the above information was provided by Dr. Russell McIntyre, Clinton pastor, co-advisor of the counseling com-

Arkansas Sets \$2,104,163 Budget

Arkansas Baptist State Convention has recommended a 1966 Cooperative Program Convention Budget of \$2,104,-163 of this, 37 per cent will be forwarded to the Southern Baptist Convention.

The budget, subject to adop- reach \$50,000.

LITTLE ROCK (BP)-The tion by the convention in ses-Executive Board of the sion here in November, has an advance stage. After the \$2,104,163 is collerted, funds received for the rest of 1966 will be a vided anually between the SBo and Arkansas Baptist Work. Advance funds, according to estimates, will



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Rev. W. W. (Bill) Kyzar (for

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In part, the resolutions

stated, "We honor and revere

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our 'honorary members,' and

strive to emulate her example

She has reached the bourne

of that unknown land; and

we've said our last farewell;

though we miss the touch of

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Philippians 4; Colossians 3:12-15. Christian growth calls for SEPTEMBER 12, 1965 learning to live harmoniously with other persons and learning to have wholesome attitudes toward oneself. A basic aspect of such development is consideration for other persons, capacity to see their viewpoints, and a willingness to be forbearing and forgiv-First rystal Springs: ing. This means that the 156 127 123 131 200 54 114 Christian must seek to grow Forest
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The study of this lesson may well begin with an honest searching of ourselves. How well do we get along with other persons? Is there hostility toward or estrangement from others? Can our attitudes be called genuinely Christian? These questions point to the need for growth in understanding and patience.

By Clifton J. Allen

Galatians 6:1-10;

The Lesson Explained TENSION FROM MISUNDERSTANDING

(Phil. 4:1-3)

Paul's letter to the Philippians shows the apostle's deep concern about tendencies to pride and disunity in the church. He besought Euodia and Syntyche to be of the "same mind in the Lord." Some misunderstanding had caused these two women to be estranged. Perhaps there was jealousy between them because of mutual prominence and influence. Whatever it was, it was a hindrance to the church; and it indicated their lack of proper maturity. Paul made an appeal also to an unnamed member of the church to help the two women to become reconciled. These friends-along with others who seemed to have died - had all worked

hard with Paul for the gospel. The situation in the Philippian church illustrates a tragic situation now existing in many churches. Christians who have labored hard in the service of Christ-and many who have done almost nothing - allow some misunderstanding to divide them. In terms of personal relationships, they act like children. They refuse to speak to one another or make accusations or encourage cliques; and thus they do irreparable damage to Christian fellowship and to the work of the church. Every such case of tension among Christians emphasizes the need for understanding. RISING ABOVE WORRY

(Phil. 4:4-7) Joy is a keynote theme of the letter. Christians are to rejoice in the Lord or to maintain a glad spirit. Next, Christians are encouraged to manifest moderation-really. sweet reasonableness or forbearance - in relationships with others. Often a Christian must be willing to yield his own rights. Motivation to practice forbearance and other virtues is found in remembering the nearness of the Lord - Paul's phrase may mean the Lord is coming

soon. Now Paul adds an inspiring exhortation about overcoming worry. Worry is not becoming to a Christian. The nearness of the Lord, the certainty of the Holy Spirit means that a Christian has no reason for worry. The solution for the tensions and problems and tragedies of life can be found by turning to God in prayer and supplication, always in the spirit of thanksgiving. Christians can bring any request and every request to God. If they do this with trustful and thankful hearts, they will experience the peace of God. His peace transcends the capacity for human understanding. It becomes a garrison around the heart and mind to portect from anxiety and to make serenity possible. This is the emotional poise and strength a Christian needs. HARMONIOUS

RELATIONSHIPS

(Col. 3:12-15) The basis of this appeal to Christians is the fact that they are the elect or chosen of God. They are set apart for God and are dearly loved by God. Consider the qualities which make for harmony. The first is compassion — a feeling of tenderheartedness toward persons in need or in distress. Kindness makes one thoughtful and generous to-

Understanding And Patience wards others. Lowly minded- which enable Christians to reness or humility and meekness help a Christian to be related to other persons without

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON—

offense. Long - suffering or patience will be needed when there is mistreatment. Always there must be a forgiving attitude, remembering that Christ has freely forgiven us. The climactic virtue is love, which is a bond uniting other virtues into nobility of character and likeness to Christ. When a Christian strives to manifest these virtues, the peace of Christ will serve as an umpire in one's heart to settle everything in harmony.

Truths to Live By Human relationships make Christian attitudes imperative. - The more complex life becomes, the more complex our interpersonal relations become. This demands that a Christian cultivate the quality of empathy. He thus undertakes to put himself in the other person's place, see life from his viewpoint, and feel as the other person feels. Even so, individuals are different - which makes inevitable clashes of interest, contrasting opinions, conflicting loyalties, and varying needs. The one hope for harmony and unity can be found in genuinely Christian attitudes

spect one another, to be considerate of one another, and to forgive one another regardless of their differences and conflicts. If Christians can overcome their hostilities with love, they can achieve harmony with freedom. Christian forbearance is a

convincing witness.-We are to have a reputation for gentleness. Too long we have allowed a worldly concept of Christian virtues to dominate our thinking. The world has made Christ effeminate and weak. It has slandered Christian goodness as passive and negative and weak. The very opposite is true. To be sweetly reasonable in dealings with other persons, forbearing to the point of gentleness, requires the utmost in self-control, in unselfish deference toward other persons, and in moral strength to follow the example of Christ. The reputation which undermines and betrays the Christian witness is a spirit of contention, striving for personal advantage. and manifestation of pride. By way of contrast, Christian forbearance convinces hardened unbelievers that Christ can transform man's selfish and sinful nature and make him an example of inspiring goodness.



Rev. Charles C. Brock

Grace Memorial Calls Pastor

Rev. Charles C. Brock of Liberty Church, has accepted the pastorship of Grace Memorial Church in Gulfport.

Mr. Brock, born in Clearwater, Fla., was raised in Birmingham, Ala. He graduated from Auburn University in 1954 with a B.S. degree in agriculture and chemistry.

He was employed as a chemical engineer with Phillips Petroleum Corp. prior to entering the ministry.

He entered the New Orleans Seminary and graduated with a B.D. degree in 1962. While a student at the seminary, he held a pastorate at the Bethel Church in Baton Rouge, La. Upon graduation, he went to Angie Church in Angie, La., and then to the Liberty Church where he has been pastor since September 1963.

Mr. Brock replaces Rev. Bill Duncan who has accepted a position with the Mississippi Baptist Sunday School Department in Jackson.

Conference Honors Dr. Ingraham

RIDGECREST-Dr. Harold E. Ingraham, director of the Sunday School Board's service division, Nashville, was honor guest at a banquet during the 19th Annual Church Library Conference at Ridgecrest (N.C.) Baptist Assembly.

Wayne E. Todd, secretary of the board's Church Library Department presided at the Aug. 27 dinner for Dr. Ingraham, who retires Feb. 28, 1966, after 43 years of service with the board.

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structor in voice and director

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Following the evening wor-

ship service, Sunday, Sept. 12,

the two men and their fami-

lies were honored with a re-

For the first time Morrison Heights Church in Clinton has a minister of education and youth. Philips R. McCarty began his work on Sept. 5.

Philips R. McCarty

Rolland H. Shaw is the new minister of music, succeeding Robert Spencer who resigned in July to work on his doctorate in music education at North Texas State Universi-

structor in Religious Education at Mississippi College this fall. He received his B. P.A. (Bachelor of Public Administration) from the University of Mississippi, his B.D. and M.R.E. from New

ty at Denton. Mr. McCarty will be In-Orleans Seminary and is cur-

ception. Rev. Charles Gentry is pastor.

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Two Area Meetings will be held for all pastors, general superintendents, associate s u p e r intendents, educational directors, other staff members, and superintendents of missions.

The first Area Meeting will be held THURSDAY, OCT. 21 at the MAIN STREET BAPTIST CHURCH, Hattiesburg. The second Area Meeting will be held at the FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF GRENADA, FRIDAY, OCT. 22. Each meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m. and will conclude at 9:00 p.m.

Meeting

Special provision has been the program, in addition to the previously named workers, for all age-group superintendents, Nursery, Beginner, Primary, Junior, Intermediate. Young People and Cradle Roll, Extension and Adults.

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POPLAR SPRINGS DRIVE CHURCH, MERIDIAN, bonored Mr. and Mrs. Russell H. Bishop with a reception on August 15. Mr. Bishop, a native of Birmingham, Alabams, and a graduate of Auburn University, is their new minister of music and youth. He received the BUM and MCM degrees from New Orleans Seminary. Former positions include minister of music at Eastside Church, New Orleans. Mrs. Bishop is a native of Ozark, Alabama. The church gave the Bishops an old-fashioned pounding also (see above photo). Rev. Harold E. O'Chester is native.

Youth Program, Tupelo, First

Johnny Weisz, a junior at Mississippi College, led the First Baptist Church in Tupelo in the best summer youth program in the history of the church, according to Dr. Samuel S. Shepherd, pastor.

Among the highlights of the program was a youth retreat in July, trips' to Mississippi College, to Philadelphia to visit the work with the Indians and to the Greater Jackson Crusade for the Friday night service. For the Juniors, there were weekly trips to many factories and plants here in Tupelo, and also a one-day retreat at a nearby lake.

Weekly visits the shutins of the church and services for the prisoners in the county jail were a part of the program. On Saturday mornings, a 15-minute program was broadcast, over radio station WELO. On the weekly visitation nights, the youth of the church were represented each by about 20 of the young

banquet at which 60 of the youth and their invited guests enjoyed a well planned program and meal. In all, the program was the best for the youth in the history of the church, and many of the members of the church have expressed the feeling that

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DANIEL MEMORIAL CHURCH in Jackson has the distinction of becoming a standard Sunday School for the second straight year. Bryant Cummings, state Sunday School secretary, presents the new banner (at top) to several of the Sunday School leaders. From left: Ellis Pell, superintendent; Dr. Allen O. Webb, pastor; Mr. Cummings and Mrs. Omera Lynn, superintendent of standards.



ROYAL AMBASSADORS Jim Blackmon (left) and Kirby Miller, both of Jackson, Miss., carry a load of rocks for a stone sidewalk they helped build at a Baptist institute near Santiago, Guatemala, The activity was part of a 17-day looklearn-and-work mission tour sponsored by the Brotherhood Commission. (Brotherhood Commission Photo)

18 R. A.'S TOUR GUATEMALA

A group of 18 Royal Ambassadors spread their Christian influence from New Orleans to Central America during a 17-day look-learn-andwork mission tour to Guate-

Highlight of the trip August 10-26 was a six-day work proj-ECT AT Instituto Teologico Bautista, a small Baptist training school near the village of Santiago, Guatemala, on Lake Atitlan.

At the school the boys

painted the woodwork on four buildings ,partially leveled an outdoor basketball court, built a 50-foot stone sidewalk, dug a 10-foot septic tank, and built and painted 10 benches and four tables.

The theological institute is used several times a year for three-week training sessions for national Baptist pastors and laymen. Basic Bible courses are taught to the students, who pay one dollar a week for tuition, room, and

DEVOTIONAL_

"Where Have You Been"

By George H. Douglas, Jr., Pastor Tunica Church "And Elisha said unto him, Whence comest thou, Gehazi" II Kings 5:25

Naaman came to Elisha's door seeking a cure for his leprosy. Elisha sent out a message telling Naaman to go wash in the Jordan seven times. Such a demand offended Naaman, but at the pleading of his servants he went, and was cleansed of his leprosy. He came back bearing gifts, but Elisha refused to take them.

Elisha's servant, Gehazi, motivated by greed, counseled with himself that Elisha had not done right in refusing the gifts, so he went after Naaman, greeting him with a lie. Naaman gave Gehazi two talents of silver and two changes of garments. After Gehazi had stored the gifts, he came back to Elisha and was asked the question, "Where have you been?" Fear overtook him as he answered that he had not been anywhere. Elisha, knowing that he was lying, told him that there was a time for giving unselfish service to God. Gehazi, selfishness and greed, was afflicted with

because of his Naaman's leprosy. This should awaken within each of us the desire to ex-

amine ourselves and give answer to the question, "Where have you been?" You have been on vacation? This is good. But have you been on vacation from God's service? Have you been selfish and taken God's tithe for your own pleasure? Have you been staying away from Sunday worship because you needed rest, perhaps for late hours on Saturday night?

Is it necessary for us to lie, like Gehazi, about where we have been because we have not been Christ-like in our living?

As George Horace Larimer has said, "It is good to have money and the things that money can buy, but it's good, too, to check up once in a while and make sure you haven't lost the things that money can't buy." The peace of knowing that we have been where God would have us be is one thing money can't buy.

Redford Moves To Bolivar, Mo.

ATLANTA (BP) - Courts Redford of Atlanta, for 11 years executive secretary of the Home Mission Board has moved to Bolivar, Mo.

"I will be an unofficial good will ambassador for the Southwest Baptist College," Redford said. "My time will be my own, but I will assist in student recruitment and other areas."

Redford retired in January from the mission agency and has been named president emeritus of the college in Bolivar.

He was the school's president from 1930 to 1943, a position he left to come to the home mission board. Redford will live at 1014 South Lillian Street. One of his nine children, Mrs. Roy Teters Jr., (Elizabeth) also lives in



DON CAIN was licensed to preach at Woodville Heights Church in Jackson on August 11. A graduate of Forest Hill High School, he attended Hinds Junior College. Mr. Cain will serve a six months' tour of duty with the armed services after which he plans to complete his education in preparation for the gospel ministry. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cain of 927 Westway in Jackson.



REV. AND MRS. RALPH DAVIS, are missionaries to Nigeria from Temple Church in Hattiesburg.

Missionary Day Marked At Temple

Missionary Day was observed last Sunday at Temple Church in Hattiesburg, with two missionaries from the church to Nigeria, Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Davis, as the special guests.

Mr. Davis spoke at the 11 a. m. service while Mrs. Davis assisted him in presenting colored slides of the work at the evening hour.

The Davis family was honored at a reception in the church dining room following the evening service.

The observance Sunday was

conducted in keeping with

Revival Dates

Van Winkle, Jackson: September 19-26; Rev. Charles Massegee, evangelist; music under the direction of Jimmy Snellen; morning services at 10:00, evening services at 7:30; Rev. Herman Milner, pastor.

Emmanuel, 4404 Sagamore St., Jackson: September 19-26; Jimmy Gandy, Mobile, evangelist; C. H. Locklin, song leader; services at 10:00 a.m. and 7:30 p. m.; evening services broadcast on WJQS; Rev. W. R. Storie, pastor.

Fairview Church, Columbus: September 19 - 24: Rev. Bob Posey, full-time evangelist from Birmingham, preaching; services 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p.m. each day; Roy Brake, song leader; Rev. Luther Litchfield, pastor.

State Mission Day in the state. Dr. J. Harold Stephens is the pastor.

Publication of a new edition of the New Testament in Greek, scheduled for 1966 in connection with the American Bible Society's 150th Anniversary, represents an innovation in Bible translation the first Greek text ever prepared by an international committee of scholars. The work is the joint effort of the American Bible Society, the National Bible Society of Scotland, the Wurttemberg Bible Society, the Netherlands Bible Society, and the British and Foreign Bible Society. Rev. Samuel J. Mills, Jr., a Connecticut minister who distributed Holy Scriptures in more than twenty states from Vermont to Louisiana in the early 1800's, is credited with being the principal force behind the formation of the international and interdenominational American Bible Society, which will be 150 years old next May.

Petal - Harvey: September 26-October 3; Dr. Robert Hughes of Pensacola, Florida, who has recently gone into evangelistic work, leaving pastorate of Immanuel Church, Natchez, evangelist: music under direction of Raymond Hopper; youth activities directed by James Merritt; Rev. O. E. Thompson, pastor; services at 10:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

One of the new rockets travels so fast they're calling it

money! Before television nobody ever knew what a headache looked like.

New Sandwich - Here's a new item on the menu at some restaurants: "Try our new Mother-in-Law sandwichcold shoulder with a generous portion of tongue."

"Why," exclaimed an impatient husband, "were women made so beautiful and so dumb?"

"We are beautiful," retorted the wife, "so that men can love us, and dumb so that we can love them."

AND then there's the woman who scribbled "atomic" in the age blank of her employment application.

PSYCHIATRIST: "Do you have trouble making up your mind?"

Sam: "Well—yes and no"



Rev. Billy Murphy **Accepts Good Hope**

Rev. Billy Murphy has resigned as pastor of Mt. Vernon Church, Newton County, to accept the pastorate of Good Hope Church, Richton, in Perry County.

Under his leadership, the Mt. Vernon Church went from half-time to full-time services. An additional men's Sunday school class was organized; tithes and offerings increased.

Mr. Murphy, a graduate of Clarke College, is now enrolled at William Carey College. Later he plans to study at New Orleans Seminary.

Radio-TV Agency Adds New Staffers

Three new staff members have been employed by the Radio and Television Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention to fill newly created positions within the organization, it was announced today by Dr. Paul M. Stevens, agency director.

The new employees are Claude A. Hicks of Abilene, James Burleson of Mt. Vernon, Ill., and C. Edward Shipman of Columbia, S. C. Each of the men has already begun his new work.

Rev. D. J. Benson

The West Laurel Church an-

nounces the arrival of its new

pastor, Rev. D. J. Benson,

who began his duties Sept. 1.

August 30 to move into the

pastorium, members of th

Woman's Missionary Union

greeted them and served a

nice meal. Following Prayer

Service Sept. 1, the Bensons

were honored with a recep-

tion and pounding in the Fel-

A graduate of Mize High

School, Mr. Benson sur-

rendered to the ministry in

1954 after serving in the U.S.

Air Force. He graduated from

Mississippi College in June,

Mr. Benson, his wife Nina,

and their two children, An-

gelique age 10, and Brent age

8, are residing at 5 Pine Ridge

Rd., Laurel. Mrs. Benson is a

graduate of Clarke College

where she was in the business

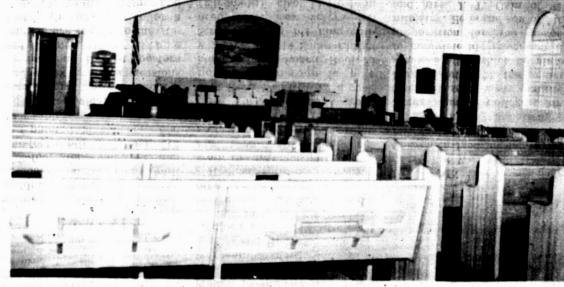
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lowship Hall of the church.

When the Bensons arrived

West Laurel

Calls Pastor



Agricola Church Remodels Auditorium

The auditorium of Agricola Church, George County, was recently remodeled, at a cost of \$6,000. Already the members of the church have given nearly \$2,000 in cash for this project.

Thompson Says Church Must Be God's Colony

RIDGECREST-"We live in a day of constant cultural change," Dr. Luther Joe Thompson told more than 1,600 persons attending conferences Aug. 26-Sept. 1 at Ridgecrest (N.C.) Baptist Assembly. Dr. Thompson is pastor of First Baptist Church, Chattanooga,

Illustrating this cultural change, Dr. Thompson stated, By 1980, almost 80 per cent of our people will be living in urban communities, one third of our total population will be in some sort of school, and 15 per cent of our population will be between 16 and 25 years of age.

"To make the gospel meaningful in such a social order," Dr. Thompson said, "The church must come to see herself anew as God's colony in man's world, a redemptive community, a fellowship of beliefers, a company of the committed, dedicated to bringing the holiness of God to bear upon a broken and sinful world."

Some of the changes in the auditorium include: new ceiling in the auditorium, new light fixtures installed, walls painted egyptian white, pews refinished, choir seats refinished and recovered, piano rebuilt and refinished.

Tile was laid in the entrance of the auditorium and under the pews. The other area of the auditorium' was covered with carpet.

Rev. John Merck, pastor of First Church, Stonewall, preached in a recent revival. The auditorium was filled each night for the messages.

There were eight saved and one by letter.

Rev. Woodrow Hudson has been pastor of Agricola church since November, 1964.

Homecoming Set

Friendship Church (Monroe County) will celebrate Homecoming Day on September 19. Rev. H. W. Ayers, pastor, will preach in the morning service. Lunch will be served at the church, followed by singing in the afternoon. All former pastors and members are invited to attend. Visitors welcome.



REV. AND MRS. JAMES SMITH and their son Vaughn gave Rev. Harry Phillips, superintendent of missions, a free tour of the new pastorium just completed at Springdale Baptist. Church in Tippah Association. It contains 1800 square feet and is a beautifully designed brick veneer with three bedrooms, two full baths, and central heat and air conditioning. Springdale was sponsored by the First Church, Ripley, and is one of the 30,000. The church was organised Oct. 15, 1961 and has had a period of consistent growth and expansion under the leadership of Mr. Smith who has been paster for the

REVIVAL RESULTS

New Prospect Church, Brookhaven: deacon - led revival; August 22-29; Rev. J. Garland Mc-



Kee (pictured), pastor of Istrouma Church, Baton Rouge, La., evan ge list; Rev. John R. Sartin, Jr.. pastor; Bob Deaton, minis-

ter of music at Texas Avenue Church, Houston, Texas, music leader: 32 professions of faith; 14 by letter; nine surrendering for full-time Christian service; two surrendering to preach; 80 rededications; "additions in every service except Monday morning, when no invitation was given." (A community religious survey preceded the meeting.)

Blue Lake Church (Quitman County): August 22-29; thirty rededications; three by letter; eleven professions of faith; Rev. R. J. Cooper, pastor, Ellison Ridge Church, Louisville, evangelist; Billy Barnes of Braxton, student at Mississippi College, music director; Rev. C. W. Sullivan, pastor.

Clarksdale, Oakhurst: Dr. Chester Swor, speaker; Jerry Merriman, leading the music; 14 for baptism, 20 by letter, over 300 rededications; Rev. F. K. Horton, pastor.

Southside Mission, Lucedale: Rev. R. G. Jones, Decatur, Alabama, evangelist; 6 for baptism, 5 rededications, 1 decision for full time Christian service; Rev. W. Frank Lay, pastor.

12th Anniversary At Emmanuel

Emmanuel Church, Greenville, will observe their 12th anniversary Sunday, September 19, and also will have homecoming, with dinner on the ground.

The pastor, Rev. Robert Perry, who has just completed seven years as their pastor, will bring the message. A history of the church will be read.



Lynnette McDonald State Students Named Favorites

Church.

GLORIETA, N. M. - Two Mississippi students were named staff favorites for the second six weeks session at Glorieta (N. M.) Baptist Assembly here.

Carol Jolly of Meridian and Lynnette McDonald of Shelby, both 19, were elected by a staff of about 350 high school and college students. Four favorites were chosen on the basis of Christian character, personality and service to the assembly.

Miss Jolly, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Jolly, 1916-34th St., Meridian, is a

Ghana Medical Center Treats 231 Per Day

During the year ending May 31 the Baptist Medical Center in Nalerigu, Ghana, registered 18,589 different patients for 72,169 visits. That's 231 visits a day if you figure a six-day week.

Admissions to the Center's hospital totaled 1,320; operations, 830; and deliveries, 102. The laboratory handled 49,-000 examination.

The staff includes three doctors (one on leave), seven nurses (one on leave), a laboratory technician and two trainees, 18 ward attendants. two interpreters and an assistant, a chaplain, two clerks, '13 laborers, three washmen, and a watchman. Two of the doctors and three of the nurses are Southern

The Center is expanding it facilities for tu leprosy patients.

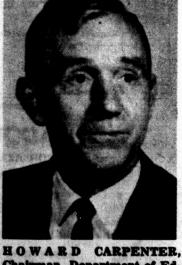


sophomore music major at

Mississippi State College for

Women in Columbus. She at-

tends Columbus, First



Chairman, Department of Ed-ucation, Northwest Mississippi Junior College, Senatobia will speak to the Virginia State Brotherhood Convention September 18 and 19, on the subjects, "Needed: A Great Faith," and "Needed, A Winning Witness." Mr. Carpenter will address the Memphis Rotary Club on September 21 concerning the subject, "Good Government in America Today." Teacher, lecturer, d writer, Mr. Carp participated in Lay